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Country: Malaya

Subject: Rubber Production/Anti Bandit Activity

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- 1. Crop The crop harvested for the month of June amounted to 66,000 lbs and, when compared with the return for the previous month, shows an increase of 11,000 lbs.
- 2. General The management has reported that a pre-fabricated timber and aluminum camp for the 7th Battalion Malay Regiment was erected around the Estate hospital by Government and one company of troops moved in. They quickly killed two bandits on a neighboring Chinese Estate. Shortly after, a third bandit surrendered.

Rigid food control is now enforced and all rations have been reduced so as to eliminate surplus food passing out to the bandits. Military operations and currews interrupted tapping to some extent...

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